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E. O. 11652: GDS
TAGS: TOCY MO
SUBJ: R/V EASTWARD CLEARANCE REQUEST

REF: (A) RABAT 3623, (B) STATE 154663, (C) RABAT 3751,
(D) STATE 160452

1. SPECIFIC ASSURANCE THAT R/V EASTWARD RESEARCH
REPORTS MADE AVAILABLE TO ALL WILL NOT CONTAIN
SYSTEMATIC RESOURCE DATA CONVEYED TO GHARBI. LATTER
STATED THIS RESPONSE, WITH PREVIOUS ASSURANCES,
CONSTITUTED SATISFACTORY FULFILLMENT OF CONDITIONS
IN MFA NOTE. AT GHABRI REQUEST, EMBASSY ADDING ABOVE
SPECIFIC ASSURANCE IN DIPLOMATIC NOTE REPLYING TO
MINISTRY NOTE OF CONDITIONAL APPROVAL.

2. EMBOFF HAS APPOINTMENT ON 28 JUNE AT MINISTRY
OF MINES AND ENERGY FOR PRELIMINARY DISCUSSION ON
PARTICIPATION OF MOROCCAN RESEARCHER, MUSTAPHA EL ASRI.
STATE 149635 ADVISED THAT MOROCCO PARTICIPANT COULD
BOARD BARCELONA ON 20 JULY AND DEBARK SAME PLACE ON
3 AUGUST, AND THAT FURTHER DETAILS WOULD BE PROVIDED.
EMBASSY WOULD APPRECIATE THAT SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMANTION
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3. EMBASSY HAS PROVIDED GOM WITH NAMES OF VESSEL'S CREW
AND SCIENTIFIC PARTY. GOM, HOWEVER, MAY ASK AT SOME
POINT NAMES OF ANY NON-AMERICAN RESEARCHERS WHO WILL BE
ON BOARD DURING MISSION OFF MOROCCAN COAST.
RABAT 1197 RAISED QUESTION OF POSSIBLE

SIMULTANEOUS PRESENCE OF MOROCCAN AND ALGERIAN PARTICIPANTS ONBOARD R/V EASTWARD. EMBASSY SUBSEQUENTLY NOTED, HOWEVER, THAT US SCIENTIFIC PARTY ANNOUNCED TO ALGERIANS (STATE 150088) IS NOT IDENTICAL WITH LIST ANNOUNCED TO GOM (STATE 149635), LEAVING US TO CONCLUDE THAT SEPARATE MISSIONS ARE PLANNED FOR RESPECTIVE COASTAL WATERS. PLEASE CONFIRM THIS UNDERSTANDING.

4. WITH REGARD TO BOARDING AND DISEMBARKING OF MOROCCAN PARTICIPANT IN BARCELONA, WHILE GOM CAN PROBABLY APPRECIATE THAT NUMEROUS PORT CALLS TO PICK UP AND DROP NON-AMERICAN PARTICIPANTS WOULD BE IMPRACTICAL, EMBASSY, IF POSSIBLE, WOULD LIKE TO BE IN POSITION TO OFFER ROUND TRIP AIR FARE TO AND FROM BARCELONA FOR MOROCCAN PARTICIPANT. ARE FUNDS AVAILABLE UNDER NSF GRANT FOR THIS PURPOSE (APPROXIMATE COST \$220)?
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